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In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2002, please amend as follows and without prejudice the Claims of the above referenced Application.

In the Claims

Please substitute the following amended claims for the respectively referenced claims currently on record:

1. A plasma injector assembly for use in a munition having a central axis, the plasma injector assembly comprising:

a stub case for attachment to the munition along the central axis;

an anode positioned in the stub case; and

a cathode positioned in the stub case, wherein the anode and the cathode are located at

08/01/2002 DBATES 0000005 160831 09767342 opposite ends of a plasma creation region, wherein the plasma creation region is

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